

Missouri State Library

Show Me *Express*

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Show Me Express features time-sensitive information about State Library programs and current news of interest to the Missouri library community.

Verify your State Aid per capita payment via the Web

The combined first and second quarter state aid payment was made to the majority of certified public libraries on November 23, 2009. You can verify your library's FY 2010 [total state aid allocation](#) or [initial payment amount](#) via these preceding linked sites. These sites are posted on the lower part of the State Library's Web page at <http://www.sos.mo.gov/library/development/grants.asp>. If you have questions please contact Maria Hines at 800-325-0131, ext. 8 or maria.hines@sos.mo.gov.

The 167 public library districts certified for the 2010 fiscal year will receive a total of \$2,815,952.60 that will be distributed on a \$0.55 per capita basis in two payments to each library. The combined third and fourth quarter payment release is scheduled for late Spring 2010.

Heads-up on E-rate filing forms & upcoming due dates

The following information can help you stay on top of the filing process regarding:

Form 471 Filing Dates for FY 2011 (7/1/2010 – 6/30/2011)

- If you filed your Form 470 BEFORE Nov. 5, you can now file Form 471 as its filing window is open from Dec. 3, 2009 to 10:59 CST Jan. 13, 2010. Remember to do an Item 21 for each company!
- If you're filing of Form 470 was AFTER Nov. 5, your Form 471 can be filed on the 29th day after the USAC Form 470 posting date. Your Form 471 must be filed before, or no later than, 10:59 CST Feb. 11, 2010.

NOTE: To assist you in this Form 471 online filing, a PDF PowerPoint presentation is posted at the bottom of the Web page at http://www.sos.mo.gov/library/certifications/tech_planning.asp. The presentation gives step-by-step instructions, starting with slide 33. E-mail Jean Morrison at the State Library, jean.morrison@sos.mo.gov or MOREnet's Rebecca Miller at millerrj@more.net.

Form 479 (CIPA, the Children's Internet Protection Act)

- This certification of compliance form will occur in March 2010: directions will be posted to the listserv in the spring.

Letter of Agency Collection

- Your next Letter of Agency will not be required until fall 2011. The Letter you created last year is valid through 2012.

NOTE: Your participation in the MOREnet E-rate consortium is established via the Form 479 AND Letter of Agency.

Register online for the "ASD" Jan. 26 videoconference

The State Library Adult Services Direct (ASD) videoconference series will present its fourth workshop topic, "Programming to Promote Reading for Adults" on Tues., Jan. 26. Register for this program on the State Library's [Adult Services Direct Web site](#) before the Dec. 30 closing date and learn about effective approaches to:

- Encourage adult leisure reading
- Coordinate reading programs for adults
- Revive existing or organize new book groups and more
- Improve usage of your adult resources and services.

See our Gates grant Newsletter for the latest happenings

This special edition of the State Library's newsletter for the Gates Opportunity Online Hardware Grant program highlights the "Turning the Page" symposium held in St. Louis on Nov. 4-5, 2009. Check it out at:

http://www.sos.mo.gov/library/development/grants/Gates_News.asp

Final Show Me Libraries posted to Web & announcing...

Show Me Libraries will cease as an online publication with the Spring/Summer 2009 issue, which has been designated as the "Final Edition." Go to

http://www.sos.mo.gov/library/showme_libraries/ to access a PDF or text copy of this final issue. Library Development staff have been working on a more collaborative tool for communicating library news and current issues of interest. Watch for more specific information in forthcoming issues of our weekly online publication, [Show Me Express](#).

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